

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Timothy Z. Liu *et al.*
Application No. : 10/713,479
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For : NUCLEIC ACID SEQUENCE
DETECTION
Examiner : Robert Thomas Crow
Group Art Unit : 1634
Confirmation No. : 1204

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to a non-final Office Action mailed on May 30, 2006 and a Notice of Noncompliant Amendment mailed on November 21, 2006. A response is timely filed by December 21, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 6 of this paper.

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